

CIVIL RIGHTS.

The Late Decision a Possible Important Factor in the Presidential Contest.

The New York Sun, of December 1st, has the following odd editorial as a double-loaded leader: We have rejoiced in common with the great mass of our fellow citizens at the gradual passing away of passions excited by the civil war. For a long time our politics were controlled by those passions, and a very unwholesome control it was. But now, fortunately or unfortunately, that state of things is in danger of being revived in some measure, and whether for a longer or shorter period it is impossible at present to know. The recent decision of the Supreme Court upon the Civil Rights Act is an event whose political importance has not been appreciated in all quarters. While a majority of the people accept it as entirely sound in law, others are inclined to uphold the views of the dissenting opinion expressed by Justice Harlan, and although new legislation upon the subject is not to be expected, the excitement which it engenders in the public mind is likely to play a part in the canvass of 1896. The Democratic party has long been the victim of misfortunes for which it was itself responsible, since they were called into being by errors of judgment and by a mistaken policy on the part of its leaders. The decision in the Civil Rights case is certainly not to be classed among the political blunders of this unlucky party, but it may, perhaps, be made quite as effectual as if the Democracy were its only author. Should the Democrats be overwhelmed in the contest of 1896, how can they hope to defeat the Republicans in any succeeding elections?

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE COUNTY.

An Item of Interest to Humboldt Taxpayers.

The Silver State says "the annual statement of the financial condition of the county, as certified by the County Auditor to the State Controller, shows that the taxable property for the year 1893 was \$3,118,005 22, of which \$2,105,073 was real and \$1,012,932 22 personal property. The rate of taxation was \$2 60 on each \$100 valuation, and the total amount of taxes on the same \$81,068 14, of which \$79,547 44 was collected, leaving the sum of \$1,530 70 delinquent. The cash in the Treasury, as appears from the Auditor's books, is \$96,140 85, of which \$23,175 49 is due the State. There was \$1,748 collected on poll taxes, and \$88 remains delinquent. The funded or Court House debt is \$52,000; the floating indebtedness, \$38,781—which will be materially reduced by the redemption of warrants on which interest will cease in a few days. The value of property owned by the county is \$72,800. The Court House and jail are valued at \$60,000; nine bridges at \$11,800; two branch jails, one at Paradise and one at Lovelock, valued at \$500 each."

Major-General Pope.

Major-General Pope arrived at San Francisco last Thursday, to assume command of the Department of the Pacific. He is sixty years of age. He was born in Illinois in 1823, graduated at West Point in 1842, and served in the Florida, Mexican and civil wars. In the latter contest he was, in June, 1862, commander of the Army of Virginia. In September he was transferred to the command of the Army of the Northwest, which he held till January, 1865, when he assumed command of the Department of the Missouri. He was made Captain in the Regular Army in 1859, Brigadier-General in 1862, and Brevet Major-General in 1865.

A singular historical coincidence, the occurrence of which was not purely accidental, is the fact that General Washington and General Sherman issued their farewell orders to the army on the same day, a century apart—Nov. 1st, 1783—1883.

Bishop Keene, of Richmond, reports his Holiness as having said: "There is no country in the world where I am so much Pope as in the United States."

The Brigadiers are again "on top" in the lower House of Congress. Not a single Northern Democrat was given one of the prizes.

The President's message was not sent to Congress yesterday. It will be to-day.

The Democrats have made their first blunder—Speaker Carlisle.

Tilden has presented his library to New York city.

The Inter-State Commerce Bill

A Washington special of Nov. 30th says: General Reagan, of Texas, arrived yesterday. Being asked about his inter-State commerce bill, he said: "I am going to push that measure as soon as the House meets. I shall make no changes in the bill, but reintroduce it in the shape it was before the House Commerce Committee last Winter."

"Do you think the bill can be passed this Winter?"

"It can be passed by the House. Any time since the measure has been well understood the bill could have been gotten before the House, but the Commerce Committee has been made up so as to be unfavorable to the measure. Randall, when he was Speaker, made up the committee so there was nine to six against it. Keifer voted for the measure in Congress before he was elected Speaker, but when he came to make up the Commerce Committee in the next House he packed it most unmercifully. He put on fourteen men opposed to the bill, leaving me alone, and the railroad people even objected to that and wanted me to be put off." Reagan went on to say that his measure would have fair consideration this Winter, because he was perfectly confident that Carlisle was to be Speaker and would appoint a fair committee. He was not against railroads, neither was his bill against them. He was simply against wrong and was trying to prevent railroads from doing wrong. He fully recognized the value of railroads in the development of the South and West, but that was no reason for permitting them to exercise a tyrannical and arbitrary power of discrimination. His inter-State commerce measure does not seek to regulate the rate paid for the freight and passenger traffic of the country, but to prevent extortion and to make the roads charge a uniform rate to every one for equal service. The constitution gives clearly the power to Congress to regulate inter-State commerce, and that is all the bill proposes to cover. Discriminating rates and that kind of treatment when entirely within the States must be left to States to remedy.

Bi-Metallism.

The New York Post says: A prospectus for an international bi-metallic monetary association has been issued by General Grant, Major Edson, and thirty eight other gentlemen, most of whom will be recognized as eminent in their respective vocations and in society. None of them, however, have acquired any reputation as economists, or made any pretensions to distinction in that way. The principal object of the association is to establish the free coinage of silver on the same terms as that of gold by international arrangements, and to co operate with associations abroad having the same object in view. This is the proper course to be pursued by those who think bi metallism is practicable and useful.

A New American Play.

John T. Raymond produced his play For Congress, written for him by David D. Lloyd, of the New York Tribune, at the National Theatre in Washington last Thursday night, with great success. The play, which is a political satire, received almost continual laughter and applause by the audience which crowded the house. The President and many members of Congress and other distinguished persons were present. Raymond was called before the curtain at the end of each act. One of the prominent features of the play which created amusement was a distinct convention for the nomination of a Congressman, a novelty on the stage.

A Small Room for Chautauqua.

An illustrated New York paper indorses the plan proposed by the Titusville Herald for holding the Republican National Convention next year at Chautauqua. The claim is put forth that it is central, convenient and suitably placed and has sufficient hotel accommodations, besides having a hall seating 10,000 persons.

The Indian Question.

There is a belief that warfare between Indians and whites can be ended by judicious measures. Secretary Teller recommends permanent reservations commensurate with the number of tribes, the discontinuance of cash annuities and establishment of manual-labor schools for the young. He urges that white adventurers be imprisoned for attempts to invade Indian Territory.

INDUSTRIAL AND BUSINESS.

Louisiana has a big yield of rice. Florida will attempt the cultivation of peanuts.

Servant girls are scarce in Texas, and wages run from \$15 to \$20 a month.

Of the seven phosphate companies quoted at Charleston, two only are below par.

It is alleged that large quantities of hemlock bark are being used to adulterate beer.

Already Florida's pineapple crop is second in importance only to the orange and lemon.

It is claimed for an Elmira mechanic that he has invented a successful iron railroad tie.

A curious Georgia industry is the making of wrapping paper out of rice straw and palm leaves.

Efforts are being made to grow jute in Georgia. If successful, it will be planted extensively.

The only cotton mill in the South devoted exclusively to knitting gentlemen's underwear is in Atlantic City.

An "automatic dust and cinder detector," to be adjusted to the windows of railway cars, has been patented.

Tea plants are growing in portions of Mississippi and Louisiana, and poor people pluck the leaves and steep them.

The over production of knit goods has caused the partial shutting down of the mills at Cohoes, N. Y., and elsewhere.

Kentucky sends reports of pear, peach and apple trees in blossom, and occasionally a second and even a third bearing of fruit for the season.

A company of Indiana capitalists are contemplating the erection of a jute factory at Memphis. This building and machinery will cost \$150,000.

Ten years ago iron rails were manufactured by all rail makers, and steel rails by comparatively few; the latter now form 95 per cent. of the total output.

Texas farmers sold last year \$95,000,000 worth of cotton, \$23,000,000 worth of cattle, \$7,000,000 of wool and mutton and \$1,000,000 worth of horses and hides.

More than fifty patents for the making of ammonia have been taken out within the last two years in England, America, Belgium, France, Austria and Germany.

The apple crop of Virginia is so large this season that purchasers are unable to find barrels, and the fruit is being loaded in bulk on the cars. One gentleman from Baltimore last week bought 20,000 barrels in August at a county at prices ranging from \$1 50 to \$2 00 per barrel.

The Pioneer Cotton Manufactory in Charleston, S. C., is now managed by trained operatives from the North, running on full time and making such quick sales at good prices that no stock is accumulating. The owners are, of course, jubilant at the present success and future prospects of their enterprise.

A good illustration of the independence of industries, however wide their national separation, is furnished by the fact that an important branch of the iron trade is mourning over the idleness of the whisky distilleries. When only a little whisky is made there is little need of new whisky barrels, and consequently a great decline in the demand for hoop iron.

Berlin manufacturers in 1881 sold a total of 14,000 pianos, one house alone coming in for over 2,000 of the class called upright. For other musical instruments also the Berlin makers had a large sale last year. One of them reports the sale of 300,000 accordions, melodeons and hand organs, 250,000 of which were sent out of Germany.

Thurman For President.

The State Council of the Union Veteran Democratic Legion, at a meeting in San Francisco last Friday, adopted a resolution advocating the nomination of Allen G. Thurman, of Ohio, as the next President. The resolution reads as follows:

Resolved, That, taking into consideration these governmental truths and measuring the future by the past, and assuming gallant old Democracy to be the honest champion of the rights and liberties of the humblest citizen, we recognize Allen G. Thurman, of Ohio, as head and shoulders above any other American citizen in the possession of sterling qualities necessary to satisfy the demands of the times. Opposed by banks, decried by railroads, shunned by time-serving politicians, we hereby place the name of incorruptible Thurman on the tidal wave of popular feeling, relying on the impulse of an honest and genuine uprising to see him placed in position by the irresistible impetus of spontaneous acclamation.

The Pacific Railroads.

The report of the Federal Commissioner of Railroads shows that the four Pacific companies owe the Government \$102,376,312. The sinking fund is a failure for want of suitable investment. A premium of 35 per cent was paid in 1881 for currency 6's for the Union Pacific, at which the company protested. Some extended 3 1/2 per cents were purchased for the Central Pacific at a premium of 2 per cent. The Secretary of the Interior recommends that 3 per cent per annum be credited to the roads on all amounts covered into the Treasury.

Acknowledges the Verdict.

In the recent suit between the Holmes and the Northern Belle Mining Companies, judgment was rendered in favor of the Holmes Company to the amount of \$360,000. It has been thought that the Northern Belle people would acquiesce, and that view appears to be confirmed by the fact that the Trustees have levied an assessment of 500 per share, which will become delinquent at the office January 7th. The San Francisco Bulletin adds that "Should the assessment all be collected it will only amount to \$25,000, and it will take a long time to collect \$360,000 in that way. Unless the mine can show that it has a greater prospective value than the amount of the judgment, there will be no inducement for stockholders to pay up, and some other means will have to be resorted to to satisfy the judgment. The above is the first time stockholders have been called upon for money, though they have received nearly \$2,500,000 in dividends from the mine. Since the verdict the stock has dropped from \$4 to \$1 50, and the Holmes stock has risen from a few cents to \$1 25."

A Fine Sword.

The Eureka Leader, of Tuesday, says:

R. M. Beatty, Grand Chancellor of K. of P. of the State of Nevada, is today in receipt of a magnificent sword, belt and sword case. The blade is of the finest steel, beautifully etched with the name of the owner and appropriate designs; the hilt is of ivory, with a monogram composed of the mystic letters, F. C. B., in colors, surmounted by an American eagle; the scabbard is of plated gold, bearing the words R. M. Beatty, Grand Chancellor of Nevada, 1883-4, P. P. XX, XXI. The belt is of the finest red leather, worked with gold wire, and has three gold barreled hangers and emblematic devices of knights in full armor, etc., on the buckles. The case is of fine Turkish morocco. Altogether, it is a beautiful piece of work, and reflects great credit on the manufacturer—M. C. Lilly & Co., of Columbus, Ohio. This is the first Grand Chancellor's sword that has ever been owned in Nevada. It differs from the general Knights' apparel, in that it is gold where the Knights' is silver. This can be worn only by a Grand Chancellor or Past Grand Chancellor, and indicates his rank in the order. The owner has reason to be proud of his right to wear this magnificent designation of the trust and confidence reposed in him by the Knights of the State.

The announcement that Senator John P. Jones has leased the upper workings of the Com. Virginia and California mines, on the Comstock lode, will certainly cause a reaction in Storey county. From all accounts there is an immense quantity of low grade ore in the upper workings of all the principal mines on the lode, and if it can be demonstrated that their extraction is a profitable venture, we expect to see the old Comstock again booming and her output of bullion rival that of the palmy days of yore. Taking into consideration the improved methods of reducing ore over that of early days on the Comstock, the ore in the upper workings should certainly pay for extraction and reduction. Probably no such dividends can be declared as heretofore, but a fair profit can be made on the proposition and the whole State of Nevada be benefited thereby, as it would naturally attract the attention of capitalists to this State, who would be convinced that there were many camps outside of Storey county where low grade ore could be profitably worked.—Battle Mountain Messenger.

STORING WATER.—The Nevada Live Stock and Improvement Company are making arrangements to secure sufficient water for irrigating thousands of acres of land, by building reservoirs in the canyons to hold the water, which is plentiful in the Spring, until it is needed in the Summer. T. D. Parkinson, Superintendent and Manager of the company's property at Kelly Creek and Squaw Valley, left for Truckee this morning to make arrangements for getting lumber for the dam which he proposes building. He will probably use 200,000 feet of lumber this Winter, if he can get it.—Winnemucca Silver State, Dec. 1st.

The Eureka Board of Commissioners have removed a Republican physician from the charge of the county hospital, and appointed a Democrat in his place. Both of the physicians stand well in their profession, and are doubtless equally competent, but the Commissioners made the change on political grounds, which should never be considered in a matter of that kind. The troubles at the Insane Asylum are directly attributable to appointments for political reasons, something which is entirely out of place in the conducting of a public institution for sanitary or charitable purposes.—Tuscarora Times-Review.

Congressman Barksdale, of Mississippi, is a politician of the stalwart Democracy. He said to his constituents, previous to the late State election, that if shotguns were a necessity in order to win the Democratic ticket, then let shotguns be used! Republicans need no better warning of what is in store for them if the Democracy should succeed under the leadership of a united South. The only effective answer to it is a united North.—S. F. Post.

There is no truth in the report that Congressman Cassidy has promised Carson a new postoffice, a military post, a custom house, a free trade with Mexico and a new railroad to San Francisco.—Eureka Leader.

Judge Belford's Ticket.

[S. F. Call.]

While the Democrats have a half-dozen or more prominent men, any of whom would be acceptable as a Presidential nominee, and whose respective claims are commented upon in a discursive manner, there is no one on whom a very strong opinion of preference, centres in the Republican ranks. Blaine and Sherman—that is, the General—both assert very positively that they are not after the office. General Grant remains silent, presumably willing, as of old, to accept of any streak of good fortune that may come in his way. He has a good friend in Judge Belford, of Colorado, who though he cannot observe any Presidential opening for the General, thinks he has abilities which should be utilized in some other branch of the public service. Judge Belford formulates a Presidential ticket, and has suggestions to make about a Cabinet under the predicted Republican forthcoming administration, which will strike our Republican readers as something new. In a letter addressed to a friend, which appears in the Denver Tribune, the Judge says:

There is one simple duty for the Republican party to perform, in my judgment, and that is to nominate Blaine for the Presidency, send Conkling back to the Senate and induce General Grant to accept the position of Secretary of State. If this combination can be carried out it is more than probable that Mr. Teller will be nominated for the Vice-Presidency, and Mr. Chaffee, whom I regard as the ablest man in political matters west of the Missouri river, will either go into the Cabinet or into the Senate.

Here is matter for digestion, and about as original as anything we have seen in connection with the Presidential question.

Advice to Mothers.

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth? If so, send at once and get a bottle of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures dysentery and diarrhoea, regulates the stomach and bowels, cures wind colic, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething is pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price 25 cents a bottle. feb. 21-sw-lyr

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A family want, and I wonder how we ever get along without Parker's Ginger Tonic. It cured me of nervous prostration, and I have used it since for all sorts of complaints in my family. Mrs. Jines, Albany.

Inflammation, coughs, catarrhs and pneumonia, resulting from colds, may be cured by Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. It allays the inflammation, removes the irritation and soreness, soothes the organs, and restores the sufferer to health.

Cleanliness and purity make Parker's Hair Balsam the favorite for restoring the youthful color to gray hair.

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"At the age of two years one of my children was terribly afflicted with ulcerous running sores on its face and neck. At the same time its eyes were swollen, much inflamed, and very sore. Physicians told us that a powerful purgative medicine must be employed. They united in recommending Ayer's Sarsaparilla. A few doses produced a perceptible improvement, which, by an adherence to your directions, was continued to a complete and permanent cure. No evidence has since appeared of the existence of any scrofulous tendencies; and no treatment of any disorder was ever attended by more prompt or effectual results.
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NOTICE.

U. S. LAND OFFICE,
CARSON CITY, NEV., Dec. 1st, 1895.
TO ALL TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:—
Notice is hereby given that the State of Nevada has made application to the Register and Receiver of this office to select, under Act of Congress, of date June 16, 1880, the following described land, viz: NE 1/4, E 1/4, NW 1/4, NE 1/4, SW 1/4, and N 1/4, SE 1/4 of Sec. 16, Tp. 29, N. R. 21 E. M. D. 18, said tracts being designated on the official plats on file in this office as mineral land, and that 30 days from the date of the first publication hereof is allowed for parties interested to file their affidavits in this office and make their proof in said case. If no affidavits alleging the mineral character of this land, or other proof is made within 30 days from the first publication of this notice the State of Nevada will be allowed to select said above described tracts of land under Act of June 16, 1880.
C. A. WITHERELL, Register.
First Publication, Dec. 4, 1895.

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MISS SUSIE DUGAN,

The Leading Milliner of Carson City,

Makes the announcement to the ladies of Reno and vicinity that she will be at the

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TOWN AND COUNTY.

RAILROAD TRAINS.

Trains Arrive at Reno

Overland going West.....6:30 A. M.
Overland going East.....7:40 A. M.
Express from South.....8:00 A. M.
Emigrant from West.....8:15 P. M.
Freight from West.....8:15 P. M.
Emigrant from East.....7:30 P. M.
Freight from East.....7:30 P. M.
Accommodation from South.....12 M.
Accommodation from South.....7:15 P. M.

Trains Leave Reno

Overland going East.....7:00 A. M.
Overland going West.....8:10 A. M.
Express going South.....8:30 A. M.
Emigrant going East.....5:30 A. M.
Freight going East.....7:35 P. M.
Emigrant going West.....6:30 A. M.
Freight going West.....6:30 A. M.
Accommodation going South.....9:00 A. M.
Accommodation going South.....9:30 P. M.

* Standard time 12 minutes faster than C. P. time.

THE "JOURNAL'S" ILLUSTRATED ANNUAL FOR 1894.

In accordance with its usual custom the JOURNAL will present its subscribers with a Holiday present of the JOURNAL Annual for the year 1894, with fifty illustrations on wood, chiefly by Granville Perkins, Thos. Moran, Harry Fenn, and other celebrated American artists. The Annual will also contain a calendar; and its table of contents will embrace an exceedingly interesting and varied assortment of miscellany; also choice selections of poetry; besides much practical knowledge, pertaining to the household.

IN AND OUT OF TOWN

What is Being Said and Done in a Small Way.

It is snowing in New York.
Col. F. C. Lord was in town yesterday.
A. K. Lamb has gone to Merced, Cal.
A. McIntosh was down from Boca yesterday.

R. Cowles, of Wadsworth, was in town yesterday.

Charles O'Neil, of Quincy, is registered at the Palace.

Mackay will be President of the Postal Telegraph Co.

Katz & Henry's saw mills have been shut down for the winter.

There is another band of fat hogs on the way in from Sierra Valley.

Mrs. C. T. Bondar returned to Oakland yesterday morning.

F. J. Winchell has gone to California to work for M. B. Dwelly.

Walter Cutting and his mother, Mrs. Cole, of Grizzly Valley, are in town.

Dennis Nevin, Storey's Treasurer, came down on the local train last night.

For the last month the Clerk returns \$297 75 fees; Sheriff, \$135 75; Auditor, \$179.

T. D. Parkinson, Supt. of the Nevada Land and Live Stock Company, is in town.

Lonkey & Smith have shut down their box factory at Camp 16 for the season.

Judge Whitman and Gen. Connor were to be seen at the Depot yesterday morning.

D. L. Bliss, of Carson, came down on the local train last night, en route to the Bay.

The holidays will soon be upon us, and the man who fails to advertise will get left.

Chase & Thyes have just placed in their saloon a splendid new burglar and fire-proof safe.

Alvaro Evans returned from Pyramid yesterday afternoon, and brought in a lot of rich ore.

L. W. Wintermantel is safely ensconced in his new quarters, at the old Wintermantel Hotel.

Mat. Haley and Wm. Hidsphith are on their way in from the North, each with a large band of fat cattle.

The holidays are fast approaching. Time to be getting in your Christmas and New Year's ads.

The Walker Lake Bulletin shows commendable enterprise in publishing a plan of the new Court House, being erected at Hawthorne.

At the Palace restaurant can be had the finest of Baltimore oysters, served in every style. They are delicious in any manner gotten up by Lemery.

L. Fontaine, of the Palace restaurant, has gone out to Spring City, Paradise Valley, to look after his mining interests in that district.

C. Y. Ross, the express messenger who so gallantly defended his car last Spring when attacked by robbers, has resigned his position on the Ogden run to accept a place as delivery clerk in the Ogden office.

WASHOE'S 1893 EXHIBIT.

The Exhibit Made By The "Boss" County of Nevada.

From Auditor Williams' annual statement is learned the following facts relative to the condition of Washoe county for the year just closing. The liabilities of the county are classified as follows:

State of Nevada.....\$37,807 38
Audited claims unpaid.....6,324 22
Reno bridge bonds.....10,000 00
Wadsworth bridge bonds.....2,000 00

Total.....\$56,131 60

Against this the following appears on the credit side of the ledger:

In State Fund.....\$37,807 38
In General Fund.....8,573 71
In Contingent Fund.....1,596 20
In Indigent Sick Fund.....3,333 44
In Reno Bridge Fund.....4,138 99
In Judges Salary Fund.....300 00
Reno Incorporation Fund.....2,554 36
Twelve Road Funds.....4,200 83
Fourteen School Funds.....17,310 35

Total.....\$72,820 26

The estimated value of the property belonging to the county is as follows:

Court House.....\$35,500 00
County Hospital.....10,000 00
Reno Bridge.....10,000 00
Wadsworth Bridge.....4,000 00
Glendale Bridge.....2,500 00
Verdi Bridge.....4,000 00

Total.....\$72,000 00

In addition to this there is due this county from Ormsby county \$1,135 75, which will probably be paid in before the close of the year. The report shows the county to be in a very healthy condition. It shows that if the county should pay all liabilities at the close of the present year she would still have a balance to her credit, in cash, of \$24,824 41, in addition to real and personal property valued at \$72,000. No other county in this State, nor any adjoining county in California, can make a showing equal to this.

The report further shows that the taxable property in the county for 1893 is valued at \$3,981,535. The rate of taxation is \$2 on each \$100, which affords a revenue of \$79,931 70; of this \$841 00 is delinquent, but will all be paid without suit.

There are 1,512 registered voters in the county, and 1,428 poll taxes were collected, so that the poll taxes collected are 86 short of the full list of registered voters.

Lamp Explosion.

About half past eleven o'clock Sunday evening a lamp exploded in a room occupied by Mrs. Winzel as a millinery store in the Cooke building. Grant Wilson, Gordon Rice and Wm. Webster, Jr., happened to be passing on the opposite side of the street and hearing the cry for help, the boys rushed into the room in time to prevent what might have been a disastrous fire. They succeeded in smothering the flames with blankets before the fire had gained much headway, and consequently no serious damage was done.

OF THE TRACK.

An open switch caused the N. & O. passenger car to be backed off the track on to the ties Saturday evening. Some one had been using the track during the day for the purpose of switching freight cars and had left the switch open. It took some time to repair the damage, and as a result the train left the station several hours late next morning.

Miners' Wages.

Miners wages in Germany average from \$12 to \$15 per month. In Mexico they average \$18 and \$20 per month, and in Colorado they average from \$2 to \$4 a day—from \$60 to \$120 per month. Miners' wages in Nevada and some parts of California are \$4 per day. In El Dorado and Placer counties they are from \$2 to \$3 50 a day.

The building which formerly stood on the north side of the Plaza, fronting the Depot Hotel, and in which the unfortunate N. & O. war took place, has been removed to the vacant lot on the southwest corner of First and Virginia streets, and adds materially to the hitherto desolate appearance of that corner.

Constable Nash had a lively chase yesterday after an intoxicated Indian whom he was conveying from the lock-up to the Justice office. The Indian broke away from the officer and when overtaken after a lively chase showed fight, but concluded to submit to the inevitable after being shook up pretty lively. He was given 10 days in the county jail.

Sino Barnes, "the Promoter," who has been an inmate of St. Mary's Hospital at Salt Lake, for several weeks, suffering from a complication of ills, is once more convalescent.

Mrs. E. B. Crocker, one of the most generous women in the world, was in Reno Sunday visiting O. T. Bender. She returned to her Sacramento home yesterday.

The ladies should not fail to examine Miss Dugan's stock of millinery goods, at Room 8, Depot Hotel.

Washoe, which has the largest assessment roll of any county in the State, only has \$900 on the delinquent list. Shake!—Lyon Co. Times.

THE BEEF INDUSTRY OF SIERRA VALLEY.

What our Stockmen are Doing in this Line—Amount of Annual Export—The Beef Outlook.

(Sierra Valley Leader.)
We notice an item in some of our exchanges concerning the beef business of this valley and giving some estimates of the amount of beef cattle now being fed in this vicinity. The figures given are so outrageously small and desiring to correct this item as well as to give a sketch of one of the principal industries of the valley, we write this article. Fifteen or twenty years ago when there was but a scanty population in Sierra Valley and before the time of fences, this valley was a vast cattle range, where herds numbering up into tens of thousands were pastured, fattened and driven to the lower country market. The native grasses and rich and nutritious, which taken in connection with cool, pure water and a climate, cool but not severe, produced the

FINEST BEEF IN THE WORLD and the retailers in the city market considered themselves favored when they could obtain a plentiful supply of Sierra Valley cattle. The valley has since been more thickly settled and the vast cattle ranges have been divided into smaller farms, and the raising of hay, grain and general agricultural pursuits have superseded, to a considerable degree, that of cattle raising, and the stock men were driven north to the wide ranges of Oregon and Nevada. Still there are a number of individuals left who make stock raising their principal business and it is still one of the leading industries of the valley. The number of cattle annually driven from this vicinity as nearly as can be ascertained amounts to about 8,000 head. This at the present prices would bring an annual revenue of nearly \$280,000. Most of these cattle find a ready market among the towns and mining camps on the western slope of the mountains in Placer, Nevada and Sierra counties, while the remainder are driven to Reno and from there shipped to San Francisco by rail. The following shows the names of

OUR STOCKMEN

And the number of cattle handled annually:
Strang, Humphreys & Rowland.....2,500
Jas. Miller.....2,000
E. Freeman.....1,500
G. W. Mapes.....1,000
Various other parties.....1,000

Total.....8,000

At present there are about 2,500 beef cattle in this vicinity being fattened for market. Miller has 700, Strang & Co. 800, Freeman 400, Mapes 300 and the balance are scattered among the ranchers. Sierra Valley still retains her reputation of producing the choicest beef in the market, and demands the highest price. This is the time of year that fine cattle are in the greatest demand. The approaching holidays necessitate a grand display by the retail butchers of fat quarters hung attractively in their shops. Sierra Valley beef fills the bill exactly. Last Monday Frank Armor, of Nevada City, purchased and drove out 200 head of Christmas cattle, consisting principally of four and five-year-old steers, walking balls of oleomargarine, which, when properly dressed and displayed, will make the Nevada county people only too eager to purchase a choice roast or tenderloin. By the way, Frank Armor is the largest buyer of Sierra Valley cattle there is. Since July 1st, he has taken away from here 1,100 head. Beef is now worth about eight cents a pound, and it is probable that the top figure has been reached for this season. It is likely that this price will keep up till February or March, when the grass-fed cattle begin to come into the market. Then the price may drop a little; but as a general rule beef will never be any cheaper to the consumer. The population of the coast is increasing, and the demand likewise. At the same time the extensive ranges of California, Oregon and Nevada are being fenced up slowly, but surely, thereby decreasing the production of beef cattle. A score of years from now the question of "where shall we get our meat?" may be a serious one.

The Target.

At the Reno Guard shooting contest Sunday afternoon, the following gentlemen carried off the prizes: Lieut. E. L. Bridges took the first prize and Company medal with a score of 41. Fletcher 2d, Haslund 3d, Mathews 4th, Meyers 5th, Stoddard 6th, Teasland 7th, McInnis 8th, and Alexander 9th, which being the lowest score on the list, 31, entitles the Captain to the leather medal, which was presented last evening with appropriate ceremony and accepted with becoming dignity. On account of the cold wind the boys fell much below their usual score.

Paid Their Pro Rata.

On Saturday last the following sureties on the bond of Treasurer Nevin, of Storey county, paid their pro rata: J. W. Eckley \$100 45, W. H. Clark \$266 12, J. S. Kaneen \$106 45, O. Derby \$798 86, S. Bailey \$266 12, A. M. Cole \$133 06, F. Fredricks \$266 12, T. R. McGarn \$133 06, J. C. Hampton \$5,000, Chancellor Derby \$15,000, J. W. Eckley \$2,000, Ramelli \$1,000, also filed notice of their withdrawal.

Asylum Escape.

A patient named Burns escaped from the Asylum last Saturday night, while the dance was going on. He was heard from near Verdi Sunday and the authorities went up after him yesterday.

COMMISSIONERS.

Bills Acted Upon and Allowed by the Board Yesterday.

The Commissioners met yesterday, pursuant to adjournment. Present—S. C. Fogus (Chairman), Jos. Frey, G. W. Sawyer, Commissioners, R. S. Osburn, Clerk, J. F. Alexander, District Attorney.

The following claims against the county were allowed:

E. R. Waggoner, hospital.....\$100 00
H. F. Pierson, Justice fees.....19 50
E. Nash, Constable fees.....130 00
Pollock & Barney, view road.....15 00
Vin. Merrill, road work.....41 50
Verdi P. M. Co., signs.....12 00
O. Madlen, hospital.....140 00
A. A. Longley, road work.....100 00
Reno L. Co., lumber.....38 04
Wm. & Noyes, blacksmithing.....18 75
John Douglas, road work.....67 50
Washoe M. & L. Co., lumber.....32 82
J. F. Devoy, road work.....21 50
Henry Stephens, road work.....250 00
Callahan & Folsom, supplies.....9 75
W. H. Young, fees.....86 25
Thos. Barnett, supplies.....6 00
A. Ludley & Co., supplies.....10 00
M. A. Parrott, supplies.....12 00
Reno Water Co., water.....5 00
Chas. Johnston, hauling.....5 00
H. H. Hogan, ex. insane.....5 00
M. Nathan, supplies.....8 75
W. Saunders, undertaking.....25 00
Washoe Engine Co., dist's.....29 50
J. N. Bakeless, supplies.....10 00
Reno Engine Co., dist's.....63 00
J. K. Everett, supplies.....20 00
F. R. Waggoner, dist's.....4 50
C. J. Brookins, supplies.....5 85
M. C. Lake, feeding prisoners.....239 40
A. C. Bragg, binding.....5 00
Reno Guard, Armory.....75 00
A. Lopez, road work.....78 50
S. M. Place, road work.....50 00
J. F. Devoy, wood.....112 81
M. Shields, Constable.....90 50

Board adjourned to meet next Monday.

W. T. C. U.

At the instance of the ladies of the Union I take pleasure in reporting the following statement of the Thanksgiving dinner.

The menu was unexceptionable and the dinner was financially and socially a success. The receipts were \$125. Will probably clear \$100.

We desire to thank those who so generously patronized us, also those who donated to the dinner, and doubly thank those who donated and patronized.

The collection of \$14 given by the Union Service held at the Baptist Church was the first pleasing incident. We wish to mention the kindness of Mr. David Martin, who ordered that the small boys applying should be entertained at his expense. Such acts of generosity are rare and therefore the more thoroughly appreciated. A thoughtful Sunday school teacher also invited her entire class, and if they were not duly thankful we certainly were.

The last issue of the Plaindealer contains such a weighty reason for the editor not favoring us with his presence that we excuse him, and we particularly note that he has kind words and wishes for the cause, and weights it all with a \$10 piece.

We would call the attention of the ladies of the W. T. C. U., to the regular meeting for the election of officers next Tuesday afternoon at the Reading Room. As a retiring officer, decidedly opposed to second or third terms, I take pleasure in thanking my associates for their considerate courtesy, especially the veteran members of an earlier organization.

Again referring to our dinner, we wish to thank those who so efficiently attended their respective tables and those not members of the Union who worked with us.

Mrs. B. F. LEETE,
President.

A Man Poisoned in Carson.

The Virginia Chronicle says a man named Pritchard was poisoned at a house of ill-fame in Carson Sunday afternoon, as is supposed by a woman named Greenwood, a sister of the rather notorious Eva Greenwood. The poison was administered in a glass of whiskey, and feeling ill soon afterwards the man visited a doctor's office, to consult the physician, but he expired before he could explain his case. It is known that the poison had been bought by the woman at a local drug store shortly before.

Strength for Mind and Body.

There is more strength restoring power in a bottle of Parker's Ginger Tonic than in a bushel of malt or a gallon of milk. This explains why invalids find it such a wonderful invigorant to mind and body.

Look out for "On a Mexican Mustang Through Texas," by the editors of the Texas Siftings. Every page contains eight laughs and a fit. Will be ready before Christmas. Finley Cook is agent for Nevada.

I. B. Timberlin, who has been superintending a mine in Inyo county, Cal., for the past two years, has returned to Reno to spend the Winter with his family, work at the mine having shut down until Spring.

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TAKING EFFECT

TUESDAY, JULY 3, 1883.

Trains From Virginia to Carson and Reno.

STATIONS.	San Francisco Express.	Local Passenger.	Local Passenger.
Virginia.....	Departs—4:10 A. M.	Departs—4:00 P. M.	Departs—4:00 P. M.
Gold Hill.....	Departs—4:30 A. M.	Departs—4:10 P. M.	Departs—4:10 P. M.
Mound House.....	Arrives—4:40 A. M.	Arrives—4:20 P. M.	Arrives—4:20 P. M.
Carson.....	Arrives—4:50 A. M.	Arrives—4:30 P. M.	Arrives—4:30 P. M.
Reno.....	Arrives—5:00 A. M.	Arrives—4:40 P. M.	Arrives—4:40 P. M.

Trains From Reno to Carson and Virginia.

STATIONS.	San Francisco Express.	Local Passenger.	Local Passenger.
Reno.....	8:10 A. M.	9:00 A. M.	1:30 P. M.
Carson.....	8:20 A. M.	9:10 A. M.	1:40 P. M.
Mound House.....	8:30 A. M.	9:20 A. M.	1:50 P. M.
Gold Hill.....	8:40 A. M.	9:30 A. M.	2:00 P. M.
Virginia.....	8:50 A. M.	9:40 A. M.	2:10 P. M.

CARSON & COLORADO R. R.

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TAKING EFFECT

MONDAY, JULY 2, 1883.

STATIONS.	Bodie and Bishop Creek Express.	San Francisco and Virginia Express.
Mound House.....	10.20 A. M.	4 40 A.
Dayton.....	10.50 "	4.10 "
Clifton.....	11.35 "	5.25 "
Fort Churchill.....	12.05 P. M.	5.55 "
Washoe.....	12.10 "	6.00 "
Washoe.....	12.40 "	6.20 "
Clayton.....	1.00 "	6.55 "
Mason.....	1.15 "	7.00 "
McVista.....	1.50 "	7.25 "
Behrman.....	2.25 "	7.55 "
Clifton.....	3.10 "	8.15 "
Dayton.....	4.00 "	11.05 P. M.
Mound House.....	4.30 "	10.50 "
Stansfield.....	5.00 "	10.20 "
Kinkaid.....	5.10 "	10.10 "
Luning.....	5.15 "	9.55 "
New Boston.....	5.15 "	9.15 "
Sage Springs.....	5.35 "	8.55 "
Rhodes.....	5.55 "	8.35 "
Rhodes.....	7.15 "	7.55 "
Belleville.....	7.50 "	7.30 "
Belleville.....	8.00 "	7.40 "
Junction.....	8.10 "	7.30 "
Candelaria.....	8.35 "	6.50 "
Section 15.....	8.45 "	6.55 "
Basalt.....	8.55 "	6.15 "
Basalt.....	10.15 "	5.25 "
Queen.....	11.05 "	4.35 "
Section 11.....	11.55 "	3.15 "
Section 21.....	12.00 "	3.05 "
Bishop Creek.....	1.10 "	2.25 "
Bishop Creek.....	1.35 "	2.00 "